

ALEXANDRIA.

MONDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 19.

THE VIRGINIA republicans, in their efforts to elect a legislature that will send General Mahone back to the U. S. Sena'e, lay great grateful tribute to God for the blessings of a stress upon the assumption that their success will help the Blair bill. But Senator Riddleberger says that notwithstanding the the world, 115 feet long and weighing 850 fact that the legislature which elected Gen. fact that the legislature which elected Gen. Mahone to the Senate instructed him to ment vote for the bill referred to, the General "went to Washington and opposed the Blair bill when it was put upon its bazardous trial from Richmond are to the effect that he is vote for the bill referred to, the General the first time in the 48th Congress. Riddlebe ger had been elected in the meantime and supported it. He conferred with Mahone in his committee room by request of labor horse on his journey thence. B'air, and was emphatically told that the labor leaders and the man who defeated bill would accomplish nothing but to give bourbons money to be used for campaign fellows. Should Wise run and be elected

THE ANNUAL report of the commissioner of pensions, just published, shows that nearly three hundred thousand dollars a year are still, twenty two years after the war, paid by this government to foreigners, who having served as soldiers in the Union army during the war, after that war ; went back to the countries from which they had been induced to come by the war bounty. How many foreigners who were induced to come by the same reason, and who remained here after the war, is not stated, but, from the nameon the rolls, must have been numbered by the hundred thousand. The South, in her fight with the North, had not only to con tend with that section, but with the whole world. In such a contest it was impossible for her to be successful.

MANY REPUBLICANS of Des Moines, in consequence of the recent legal decision there, to the effect that liquor manufactured in that city can not, under the State law, be sent out of the State, have declared their intention of voting the democratic ticket, How many democrats of that city may be induced by the declaration referred to to is to the effect that the principal men en pate the republican ticket is not known, but gaged in getting up a demonstration for exvote the republican ticket is not known, but it would not be wonderful if the number would more than offset the republican loss. the former hate l'quor more than they do part, as was shown by the investigation, by republicans, the latter hate democrats more paying twice for some of the contract work than they do liquor.

A DISPATCH from Richmond says: "It is generally conceded that the knights of labor will vote against the democrats throughout the State." This can hardly be so. Democrats are not knights, to be sure, for, according to Webster, knights are of two kinds, one being of aristocratic rank, and the other, knights of the post, being sharpers. But, with few exceptions, democrats are laborers, and it would be unnatural if a party, more than nine tenths of which are laboring men, should not have the interests of labor at

COL GRANT, whom the democratic Govemor of New York nominated for quarantine commissioner, is so good a republican that he has been put at the head of the topublican ticket of that State. The democrats of New York may be very good of their kind, but they are not like their predecessors, and certainly don't belong to the same species of democrats that in former times lived in Virginia.

IT HAS been stated that ex-Congressman Tucker, of Virginia, is so disgusted with the Roanoke platform that he will take no part Roanoke platform that he will take no part 60 feet from the ground and both men were in this fall's campaign. To a conscientious on a small scaffold hung from the top of the and consistant democrat the Roanoke platform is a bitter pill to be sure, but, distaste ful as it is, it is certainly better than another dose of Mahoneism, with all its necessarily evil effects.

TALK ABOUT gall! What a quantity of it must be possessed by ex President Hayes, who, though he did more than any other one man ever did to bring discredit and reproach upon the Constitution, by accepting into sticks six inches long by one and a half inches in circumference; these are packed a Presidency to which he was fraudulently elected, was head man in celebrating its centennial in Philadelphia last week!

Among THE names of the notorious persons who met in Philadelphia last week to celebrate the centennial of the adoption of the Constitution, appear those of many who once endorsed the sentiment that the Constitution, as adopted, was "a covenant with death and a league with bell."

FROM WASHINGTON.

[Special Correspondence of the Alexa. GAZETTE] WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 19, 1887. Col. Robert Mayo of Westmoreland county, Virginia, was here the latter part of last week. He says he will be renominated and re-elected as the republican candidate of the legislature in his county. He is not particularly in love with General Mahone, who, he says, instead of conciliating the production in the State, has made many of them dislike him. He says the rapublican candidate for the legislature in rapublican candidate for the legislature in rapush for funds, with which to obviate Wise for Senator. He believes, however, that if the republicans elect a majority of the legislature General Mahone will be elected U. S. Senator. Ex-Representative J. Ambler Smith, of Vir-

ginia, has returned after a menth's trip to the far West on legal business Mr. Smith says that west of the Mississippi social and business life is as distinct from that of the East as it is from that of Europe and Asia, and that it is astonishing, to view of the fact that so many of the fathers of the people of that section went from the East, how little they know of this section.

Representative Foran and Wilkins, of Ohio, were here the other day. The former says he really believes the democrats will carry his State this fall, for the reasons that have come out boldly for a low tariff, and that Forsker is making a fool of himself by his bloody shirt antics. Mr. Wilkins while not going so far, says that certainly the democratic prospects in Ohio are better than they were a month ago. Ex Representative Hill, of the same State, is in the city to day. He says the democrats there are in belter condition that they have been for some years past, and have a good chance to win. Per contra: A newspaper corres

pondent just from Ohio, of democratic, but anti-Cleveland, leaning, says the only people he met during an extended circuit of that State seemed to be members of either the republican or the labor party. You pay your money and take your choice.

A member of J. A. Andrews post, G. A. R., of Besten, new here, says the Boston proposition that his camp and R. E. Lee Camp of Confederate Veterans erect a monument at Appomattex as a reverent and reunited country has many supporters there, and that the shaft recently quarried by the Bodwell Company in Maine, the largest in

It is no longer doubtful that Hon. John S to have not only a finger but a forefinger in the legislative pie. He is to run for the lower house for Richmond, and strangest of all modern acrobatic feats, he is to ride the their candidate for Congress last year are now it is said the warmest kind of bedpurposes. Mahone is marked 'absent' at he will of course head his party for the speakership. It is a lively parliamentarian that he would perhaps make, but he will certainly get there if he wants to in the event of his party's success. He will also have a small obedient following for the Senatorship, which when the proper time comes will support Mahone. The GAZETTE'S informant who is thoroughly posted ridi-cules the idea of any conflict between Wise and Mahone. His Second Lieutenant Lamb and his First Lieutenant Wise are likely to share his fortunes to the last, and will take 'pot-luck" in everything which their political future contains.

A prominent temperance man from Loudoun county. Va., here to-day, says the temperance people there will not run a candidate for the legislature, and that all the democrats among them will support Mr. Ryar, the regular democratic neminee. He also says the republicans there will have some trouble in finding a popular candidate, and that Mr. Garret, whom they hoped to have for their candidate, has refused to accept a nomination.

There were two parades here to-day, one of the brick layers of this city and Balti-more, all white, and the other of the hodcarriers, all colored. The crowd of colored people that accompanied the latter must have numbered at least ten thousand, every one of whom could have been at work in the country at good wages if so disposed.

The current talk on the street here Governor Shepherd, formerly of this city but now of Mexico, are those who profited by the Shepherd ring, which suddled the There are not as many democrats as repub. District of Columbia with a debt of about licans among the prohibitionists, but while twenty three million dollars, contracted in Senator D miel, of Virginia, is in the city to-day. He says he will soon take the stump in his State and make an active car He also says that his information is to the effect that the democratic prospect in Virginia is favorable to the election of a legislature that will send a democrat, and not General Mahone, to the U. S. Senate, as Senator Riddleberger's successor.

The President did not come into the city from Oak View to-day, but remained out there to recuperate from the fatigue of the Centennial in Philadelphia last week. A telegram received here from Goy. Foraker, in relation to the affront of-fered him and his wife by Mrs. Cleveland, says neither he nor his wife has any thing to say about the matter, except that they did nothing they re-

gret.
A Baltimore democrat here to-day says that among the mugwump democrats of Baltimore, the ere several Virginians, who are chiefly noted for their airs, and that any loss they may occasion the democratic party in coming election will be more than offset by votes their support of the republican ticket will drive away from that ticket.

ACCIDENT AT RIVERTON .- On Saturday, the 10th instant, about 11 o'clock, what might have been a most appalling accident occurred in the quarry of Carson & Sons lime works. While Patrick St. John and Charles Crudden, jr., were loading a hole 16 feet deep with dynamite, it prematurely exploded, badly injuring the former and shak ing the latter up right severely. The hole that was being loaded was at a distance of Had it not been that the dynamite was untamped or unpacked, it would have blown them to atoms, as well as six or seven colored men who were immediately beneath them. They had about nine pounds of dynamite in the hole-the report can be imagined; the hearing of both parties is much affected and it is feared Pat St. John will lose the sight of one eye. The only explanation of the affair is that when dynamite is made it is mixed with sawdust or some other absorbent and is then rolled in boxes, and it may be that while standing on the end the nitrog yeerine scaked to one end, making it of such high percentage as to render it dangerous if not most carefully handled. It my have happened that such a piece as this got, like all the rest, stuck in the hoje and would not stand the tamping necessary to get it to its place-thus the explosion .- Warren Messenger.

FAMINE IN ASIA MINOR. - Letters have been received by the American Board of Commissioners for foreign missions picturing a terrible condition of affairs among the per ple of the Cicilian Plains, Asia Minor, Large numbers of the inhabitants are starving, and the source of food supply has been almost exhausted. The missionaries of the board at Adana report that since August five hundred more families have been added to the list of those who have to be supplied with bread to sustain life, making fifteen hundred families in all that are now being the distress. Large numbers of the people are kept alive by cating grass, roots, ber ries, and small fruits. Families will need aid to enable them to live notil the next

STATE DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, ALEXANDRIA, VA., Sept. 19, 1887. Hon. George C. Cabell is announced as one of the eanvassers at large from the Fifth Congress-

R. F. Beirne will speak at Northumberland October 10th.

JOHN S. BARBOUR, Chairman, W. W. Scott, Secretary.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

Rear-Admiral J. R. Madison Mullany, U. S. N., died at Bryn Mawr, Pa., Saturday, aged 70 years.

The Saturday half holiday is rapidly becoming a thing of the past in New York, except among the businesses which are dominated by the commercial exchanges and the banks. In a duel near Paris yesterday Maurice Bernhardt, son of Sarah Bernhardt, severely

wounded a journalist named Alexis, had written an article reflecting upon the famous actress. Jerome W. Manning, of Cambridge, Mass. has brought suit for \$100,000 damages

against the Court of Commissioners of Ala bama Claims, for being debarred from prac-ticing before them. young Englishman named A.

Whi chouse, while out hunting antelope Friday, near Howard Windham's Twin Mountain ranche, in Kansas, shot and in stantly killed his chum and companion, George H Gordon.

A bet of \$5,000 to \$8,000 in favor of the Volunteer was made Saturday at the New York Produce Exchange. The betting at the New York Club-house was 7, 8, and 9 to 5 in favor of the Volunteer. It was rather hard to find Thistle supporters with money ready to put on reasonable odds.

The demonstration of the united labor party in New York Saturday night was ad "first gun" of the campaign, vertised as the but the small turnout was a disappoint-ment to the managers. On the stand were McGlynn, Henry George, James E. Quinn, and others prominently identified with the political labor movement.

The New York Herald states that Gen. Roger A. Pryor has been offered a retainer to argue an appeal for the Chicago anarchists before the Supreme Court of the United States, and it is understood that he will argue the case on appeal in Washington. Gen. Pryor is quoted as saying that the an archiets have a reasonable chance.

The Episcopal Convention of the Diocese of Delaware assembles next month to elect a successor to the late Bishop Lee. One faction of the church, the Low Church party, favor the election of Dr. Eccleston, of Baltimere, while the High Church party is divided as to the choice. A compromise has been suggested, with Rev. Dr. John Brainard, St. Peter's, Auburn, N. Y., as the candidate.

Advices from Zanzibar have been received to the effect that the messengers sent by the consuls to apprise Emin Bey that an expedi tion under Henry M. Stanley had been sent to his relief have returned. They state that to his relief have returned. They state that they reached Lake Albert Nyanza, where they met Emin Bey, who was returning from an expedition to the Usungora country. Emin Bey was greatly surprised at the near of the expedition, and returned to Wardelai to await its arrival.

A dispatch from New York says: Massrs George S. Scott, W. P. Clyde and John H. Inman have just returned from a tour of ob-servation through Virginia, Tennessee and North and South Carolina. Mr. Scott says the fictitious real estate boom of the South has ended, but its industrial and commercial condition is vastly better. People are no longer selling lots in the country for the price of corner lots in large cities, but there is a steady, healthful growth, which is the foundation of permanent prosperity.

Judges Bond and Morris, of the United States Circuit Court in Baltimore, upon a bill filed by the American Bell Telephone Company against William C. Turnbull, signed an order on Saturday providing that until the hearing of the motion the defendant is restrained from using any telephonic apparatus embodying the inventions of Alexander Graham Bell. The 1st of November next is fixed for the hearing. This suit appears to be brought in order to shut off the Chinese telephone scheme with which Count Mitkiewicz is prominently con

VIRGINIA NEWS.

Rev. John Bell died in Culpeper county last week at an advanced age.

The Oatland estate, in Loudoun county will be sold at public auction next month. William Blackwell, a native of Fauquier county, is living in Kansas, aged 112 years. Mrs. Harriet Blankenship, widow of the

late Radford Biankenship, died in Richmond on Saturday, aged 84 years.

Artillery jumped from the ramparts at Fortress Monroe into the mont, last Saturday, and was drowned.

T. Spicer Carlett has announced himself a candidate for the republican nomination for the House of Delegates for Lancaster and removed to the Chambers street h spital. Richmond counties. Efforts are making to establish an annual

sgricultural and mechanical fair at Cape Charles City, the southern terminus of the Now York, Philadelphia and Norfolk railroad. Three hundred and fifey mechanics are now employed on the Newport News Simp son dry dock, and it is not expected to fin-

ish the dock until next June, as it is 610 feet long. From all sections of Southside Virginia the most encouraging reports are being re-ceived as to the condition of the crops, which are said to be the finest known for

Sweet potatoes continue to be shipped but farmers say that the crop has been pretty well gathered and marketed. The crop has not turned out to be nearly so large as

During a heavy storm in Nottoway county, last week, the large granary of Jas. F. Epes was struck by lighting and set on fire. The building was entirely consumed, together with a large quantity of wheat and all of Mr. Epes's farming implements.

was expected.

In the democratic convention held at Culpeper C. H. last Saturday Hon. Jas. Barbour was nominated for the House of Dele gates. The republican convention at Charlottesville last Saturday nominated Capt. A. M. Lawson and John Hartisly for the House of Delegates. Morgan Treat, of West Point, bas been nominated as the republican candidate for the House from King William county.

The funeral of the late Capt. James Barron Hopstook place Saturday afternoon from St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Norfolk. The City Hall bell tolled and the flag on the dome was half masted all day. The funeral was quiet, the Masonic order not participating by request of the family. Pickett Buchanan and Stonewall Camps, Confederate Vete rans; Norfolk Typographical Union, the public school board and public school teachers attended in a body.

RUNAWAY TRAIN—Friday morning the passengers on a Baltimore and Ohio train while waiting for the same to start from the depot in Washington for Baltimore were given an unexpected ride that they will long remember. The engine in some way got off before it was time, and the continuous way got off before it was tim regine in some way got on before it was time, and it did not stop until Annapolis Junction was reached. The passengers did not know what the matter was until they saw the train hands make for the engine in a sudden and suspicious way. The engine was stopped after much difficulty. Luckily, the track was clear. The matter was kent yery enjet. kept very quiet.



TO-DAY'S TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Fairfax Republicans.

[By Telephone to the GAZETTE] FAIRFAX C. H., Sept. 19 .- At the republican convention held here to-day James M. Thorn was nominated for the legislature by acclamation.

Tragedies.

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Sept. 19 .- A tragedy occurred at Harrodsburg, near here, yesterday, in which Elsworth Anderson was fatally wounded. Mrs. Sarah Meadows is a res pectable widow, living alone in that place with her three little children. About midnight she heard some one at the door, and upon asking who it was she recognized the voice of Anderson, who is a desperate character. Half frightened she ordered him away, threatening to shoot him if he did not go. Anderson left for the time, but in about an hour returned and began pounding on the door. Mrs. Meadows got a revolver and no sooner did she have hold of it than the door came open and Anderson fell in the room. Instantly the woman fired and Anderson started to run, crying for help. He soon fell to the ground. An examination proved that the ball had entered about the centre of the breast, lodg ing in the spinal column.

KILLEEN, Tex., Sept. 19 .- This place was thrown into excitement over a killing which happened yesterday about 6 or 7 miles from here, in Coryell county. It appears that Fayette and John Darnelle were returning home from Galesville when reaching a thicket, they were fired upon. John Darnelle was instantly killed. One of the ambushers, Newt. Blackwell, was killed. on wheat 240,000 bushels and asked that his It is not yet known how many persons were in ambush. Newt. Blackwell was a brother of Rev. Dick Blackwell, who was waylaid and killed three weeks ago. Both parties have families. The excitement is running high and more trouble may be expected, as both men have a great many connections.

Excitement in Nashville.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Sept. 19 .- The city is in a ferment over the presence of a large number of detectives suddenly centered here, mainly from outside the State and supposedly in the interest of the Louisville and Nashville railroad. The people of the county vote next Thursday on the proposition to subscribe \$500,000 to the Tennessee Midland railroad, which is to run from Memphis through Nashville to Bristol, where it connects with the Virginia Midland, thus giving a competing line East. The Louisville and Nashville has been fighting the proposition, and it is rumored that these detectives are here to do the emplovees on election day and see that they vote with their employers. They are quar tered at various hotels and boarding houses. There is intense feeling, particularly as among the imported detectives are two named Laird and Collier, who were indicted for the murder of half a dozan people during the riots at East St. Louis attending the great Southwestern strike.

Fire and Loss of Life.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19 .- A fire broke out this morning on the third floor of the four story brick building 10 South street, by which one man lost his life and another was seriously burned. The two buildings, 10 and 11, are occupied by Mrs. Mary A. McNally as a saloon and lodging house. She lost \$3,000 on stock and fixtures, and Thomas Donohue, a cigar and tobacco dealer, suffered a loss of \$2,500. The dam | the late representative of Clarke county tersburg are actively at work in an effort to make Petersburg a bright tobacco market, cause of the fire is unknown, as well as the tensively known and universally beloved. Private Geo. Branch, of battery G, Fifth amount or insurance. Nelson Campman, 68 years old, a canal boat captain, was found was her god-father. Fairfax Washington dead in his bed from suffication. Meredith left nine children, William, whose death has Stewart, a laborer, was so badly burned about the hands and arms that he had to be

Recapture of a Desperado.

ISHPEMING, Mich , Sept. 19 - Billy Mc ISHPEMING, Mich, Sept. 19 — Billy Mc
Lean, a pugilist and desperado, broke jail at
St. Ignace on the 2ad inst., when a reward
of \$250 was offered for his capture. He fled
to Cock's Mill, near Two Hearted river, and
from there escaped to Canada at Sauit St.

Alexandria city, \$4,390.23; Alexand ia county,
\$1,986.74; Caroline, \$7,537.64; Clarke, \$3.
Fauquier, \$10,023.38; Frederick, \$4,865.29; Winchester, \$1,814.56; King George, \$3,223.94; Londoun, \$8,579.98; Louisa, \$3,335.63; Madison, \$4,390; Northumberland, \$3,333.22; Orange, \$5,727.20; Page, \$4,687.96; Painey William from there escaped to Canada at Sault St. from there escaped to Canada at Sault St. \$5.7.27.20; Page, \$4.687.96; Prince William, \$5.7.27.20; Page, \$4.687.96; Prince William, \$3.903.37; Rappahannock, \$3.816.56; Rocking-ham, \$12.681.26; Shenandoah, \$7.257.21; Spotwas met by Sheriff McKenzie, who attemption of the stafford \$2.924.95; Warren, \$2.880.61; West-warren, \$2.880.61; West-war ed to arrest him. The sheriff was badly cut moreland, \$3,421.89. and kicked. Officers Freeks and Ellis went to the sheriff's assistance, and after a desperate struggle McLean was placed in jail. from Accomack in considerable quantities, Before morning McLean broke his bandcuffs and the iron ventilator pipe in his cell and dug out of jail. He was captured again by a party and was heavily ironed.

Cigarmakers' Convention.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Sept. 19 .- The seventeenth annual convention of the Cigarmakers' International Union opened at Fireman's Hall at 9 o'clock this morping. About 200 delegates, representing unions throughout the United States and Canada, are pres ent. The convention will continue ten days, and during the session the constitu tion of the union will undergo many radical changes. The out of work benefit, a plan of insurance, laws relating to the union label on the Pacific coast, also one for printed matter for the Dominion of Canada, and various other amendments to the constitution will probably be adopted by the convention

Captured by Brigands. LONDON, Sept. 19 .- Mr. Thomas W. Legh.

a member of Parliament for Lancashire, while shooting in the mountains near Sofia, was captured by a party of brigands. Mr. Legh informed his captors that he was a servant; that he had no valuables and that for him. The brigands then released him.

\$10,000 Bequest.

SALEM, Va., Sept. 19 .- By the will of Col. Green B. Board, late president of the board of trustees of Roanoke College, the college will receive \$10,000.

Gone into Liquidation.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29 .- The well known banking firm of Prince and Whitely, of which the late William R. Travers was a special partner, went into liquidation today in order that Mr. Travers's estate might 16 per cent, generally. Further material declines receive its interest in the business. Mr. wer established, the heaviest lesse being in Lich Whitely said that as the firm's affairs ex- mend and West Point (126) and one or two other tend all over the world it would take some stocks. The downward movement was checked time to fix them up and he was not prepar- by 10:45, and the market became dull and steady ed to say anything definite about the firm's

A Hasty Eviction.

DUBLIN, Sept. 19 .- The sheriff and a party of police sailed in the yacht Shannon and surprised Burke, Lord Clauricardi's tenant, who occupied Clenderoff Castle, and evicted him instantly. After the eviction the castle was barricaded and twenty men were lefe to defend it. When the news of the ar rival of the sheriff spread three thousand persons gathered to resist the service of the writ, but they were too late to prevent Burke from being evicted.

Horrible Accident.

DUBUQUE, Iowa, Sept. 19 .- A horrible ac cident on the Chicago, Milwaukie and St. Paul railroad, two miles north of this city, tock place about 5:30 this morning. The north and south bound passenger trains collided at full speed. Five persons were killed outright and many injured.

Assignment.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 19.—The George Weber Brewing Company of McMicken avenue made an assignment this morning to Jordan & Jordan and Mallon Coffee, attorneys, Their liabilities are estimated at \$500,000 and assets at \$350,000.

Suspended.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 19 .- Geo. W. Titlaw, grain dealer, suspended to-day and announced that he is embarrassed. He is long contracts be closed out. He will probably arrange to continue business.

The Washington Family. To the editor of the Alexandria Gazette:

The papers have recently noticed the death of Wm. Washington, of Kentucky, the "nearest relative of Gen. Washington." This gentleman was the son of Fairfax Washington, who at one time owned many of the finest estates of what is now Clarke county, including Audley, Frankfort, Llewif I am not mistaken, and three valu able farms nearby. The high price of wheat, the result of the war of 1812, induced him to contract for a large body of land, relying upon the anticipated high price of wheat, some \$2 50 per bushel, for the means of pay-ment; unfortunately for him peace was soon afterward declared and wheat went down to less than one dollar per bushel, leaving him hopelessly involved and neces situting the sale, not only of the recently purchased estates, but of his own as well He then moved to Kentucky and did not recurn to Virginia until the winter of 1844, when he was selected by the electors of Kentucky, he being an ardent and devoted May whig, to be the bearer of the copy of the electoral vote of the State sent on to Washington city.
This gentleman, Fairfax Washington, was

the son of Warner Washington of Fairfield a nephew of the General, who married Hannah Fairfax, the daughter of Washing ton's special friend and neighbor, William Fairfax, of Belvoir, near Mount Vernon. She was the Hannah Washington of Fair field, spoken of in Washington's will, and to whom was left a minature taken about the time of his death, with a large lock of his hair in the back—the largest probably pos sessed by any one person. This miniature, so highly valued as an heirloom, the owner, a direct descendant of the said Hannah Washington, impoverished by the late war, was forced to sell, and it is now the proper ty of a most worthy and excellent gentle One of the daughters of Hannah Washington, a sister of Fairfax Washington and the grand-mother of Capt. David Meade, visit to Mount Vernon, and Washington just been announced, being the eldest.

PUBLIC SCHOOL MONEY .- The following apportionment of school funds has been made by the State authorities:

Alexandria city, \$4,996 23; Alexand is county,

' For there was never yet a Philosopher, that could endure the toothache patiently.' Perhaps not—but there's little wit in endur ing it at all, when one bottle of Salvation Oil will cure it.

Give Ely's Cream Balm a Trial.

This justly celebrated remedy for the cure of catarrh, hay fever, cold in the head, &c., can be obtained of any reputable druggist and may be relied upon as a safe and pleasant remedy for the above complaints, and will give immediate relief. It is not a liquid, sunff or powder, has no offensive odor and can be used at any time with good results, as thousands can testify, among them some of the attaches of this office.—Spirit of the Times May 29, 1886.

MEDICINAL.

DR. C. W. BENSON'S CELERY AND CHAMO. MILE PILLS are prepared expressly to cure Headaches and Nervous diseases, and will cure any case of either Sick, Nervous or Dyspeptic Headache, Neuralgia, Nervousness, Sleeplessness Paralysis or Indigestion, no matter how obstinate or long standing the case may be. Price 50 cents a box, postage free to any address. Sold by all druggists. Benson Chemical Company, 521 North Howard street, Baltimore, Md.

Dr. BENSON'S SKIN CURE FOR ALL SKIN

DISEASES

TAKE NOTICE, That on the 25th day of October, 1887, I will sell, in obedience to an order of the stockholders and directors of the VIRGIN1A MARBLE COMPANY, the following SHARES and CERTIFICATES OF STOCK, to wit: Certificate No. 11 for 234 shares; certificates Nos. 12 and 15 for 312 shares; certificates No. 29 and 50 for 100 shares, and certificate No. 58 for 10 shares. The same certificate No. 58 for 10 shares. and certificate No. 58 for 10 share). The sale will be made at public auction to the highest bid-der, at 12 m., in front of the postoffice at Marshall, Fauquier county, Va. sep19 30t H. D. B. NORRIS, President. MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL

NEW YORK, September 19.-The new week & the Steck Exchange opened with an active an decidedly weak market, first prices showing declines from Saturday's final figures of from 1, to after a slight rally. The market exhibited no further feature, and at 11 o'clock was dull and steady at a shade better than the lowest prices reached. Money casy at 5a6.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 19 .- Virginia 6s consolidat. -; past-due compons -; 10-40s -; new li 62 bid to day.

WHOLESALE PRICES OF PRODUCE SEPT. Flour, fine .. Family. Fancy brands... Wheat, Longberry. Fultz.... Mixed..... Fair Wheat. Corn Meal. Butter, Virginia prime. Common to middling .. 0 12 Veal Calves ... Irish l'otatoes per bushel... Dried Peaches, peeled unpecled ... Charries. Bost sugar ear id Hams.
Butchers' Hams.
Breakfast Bacon......
Sugar-cured Shoulders..... bellies Bacon Shoulders .. Sides..... Lard . Smoked Beef ..

Sugars—Brown...... Off A..... Conf. Standard A. Granulated...... Coffees—Rio La Gauyra. Molasses B. S., Mackeret, small, per bbl.....

No. 3, medium...

No. 3, large fat... 5 25 0 00 No. 2 18 00 Timothy Plaster, ground, per ton..... Ground in bags..... Fine...... Turk's Island Wool-Long unwashed.... Washed.... Merino, unwashed....

Wheat Bran 7 ton 7 car... Brown Middlings White Middlings Hominy Chop Cotton Seed Meal 24 (0) Flour is unchanged; sales are light, and both millers and holders of stocks meet readily current prices. The offerings of Wheat on 'Change this norning were rather more liberal, but show very little improvement in quality; while we note a fair and pretty regular demand for strictly prime samples, other grades continue stuggish and sell much more closely as to quality than for man; casons; hence the wide range from 55 to 80 per bushel. Corn is strong and active; whit, 56 to 58; yellow 53 to 57. Rye and Oats are f. rm. The severe drought of the past two months has crusted a scarcity of Potatoes, Butter and other produce, and sales are freely made at full prices, with indi-cations of an advance.

Do. Washed ..

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BALTIMORE, Sept. 19.—Cotton steady and dall; middling 9%. Flour steady and quiet; Howard street and Western super \$2.25a2.75; do extra \$3.00a3.60; do family \$3.75a4.35; city mill-super \$2.25a2.62; do extra \$3.00a3.50; do Rio sper \$2 25a2 62; do extra \$3 00a3 50; do Rio brands \$4 15a4 50; Patapsco superlative patent \$5 10; do family \$4.75. Wheat—Southern steady; red 78a80; amber 80c81; Western lower, closing quiet; No 2 winter red spet 764a763; Sept 764a763; Oct 77a774; Nov 784a76); Der 804a804; Corn—Southern farmer; white 59a 60; yellow 54a55; Western farmer and dull; mixed spot 504a bid; Oct 484a94a, Oats firm; Southern and Penna 32a36; Western white 35a 38; do mixed 344a36, Rye steady at 53a55. Hay steady and quiet; prime to choice Western \$13a15. Provisions quiet and steady. Ness Pork \$16 25a16 50. Bulk meats—shoulders and clear rib sides packed 7a94. Bacon—shoulders 74a844; clear rib sides 104a; hams 134a1445. Lard—refined 8. Butter steady; Western packed 17a22; creamery 22a25. Coffse easy, dull and heavy; Rio cargoes ordinary to fair 184a194 Sugar steady and quiet; A soft 64a. Whiskey nominally steady at \$1 14a1 15

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Cotton quiet; uplands 9%; Orieans 9%; futures steady. Flour quiet and steady. Wheat lower, Corn lower, Fork dull at \$16 25a16 50. Old mess Pork duit at \$15 2515 50. Lard firm at \$6.75.

CHICAGO, Sept. 19, 11 a. m.—Oct Wheat opened steady at 68 7-16, and is now quoted at 68 7-16; May Wheat 76½, Oct Corn 40½; May 44¾, Oct Oats 25½, Jan Pork \$12 30, Oct Lard \$6 35a6 37½ Oct short ribs \$8 27½.

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